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WASHINGTON.

The Militia.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—The Secretary of War's report states the number of militia general officers in the United States as 126; staff officers, 1,040; commissioned officers, 8,822; non-commissioned officers and privates, 114,521; total strength of the organized militia, 123,546; available for duty, but not organized, 6,481,787. New York state has 19,536 militia, the largest number of any of the states.

Nominations.

Among the nominations sent in today are the following:—John C. New, of Indiana, to be Assistant Secretary of the Treasury. Edwin H. Nevin, Jr., Surveyor of Customs for the district of Philadelphia, Pa.

The appointment of Hon. John C. New as Assistant Secretary of the Treasury created considerable surprise, as his friends supposed he had succeeded in securing the Ministry to St. Petersburg.

Of Interest to Bank Men.

Secretary Folger being asked for his opinion as to the propriety and necessity of the passage of Senator Beck's bill to prevent the over-certification of checks by officers of national banks, says:—"It proposes to punish as a misdemeanor the willful violation by certain persons, designated therein, of a statute of the United States, named in the bill. There can be but one opinion, and that affirmative, that it should be declared an offence against the criminal law to willfully violate a public statute. That prohibits doing an act held by the legislature to be responsible. In my judgment there should be inquiry into the arrangements by and under which the certifications are effected, and if those arrangements and acts of certifications under them are looked upon as reprehensible, a bill should be framed, that will define what particular things shall be deemed violations of the law, and they, if willful, be declared misdemeanors.

Notes.

The House judiciary committee took the first step today toward considering the bankruptcy bill by referring it to a sub-committee consisting of Humphreys, McCoid and Manning.

The President has refused to entertain the charges preferred by Gen. Wilcox against Gen. Carr, who has accordingly been released from arrest.

The State Department has nearly completed the transcript of all letters of Shipherd from which the names were at first omitted, and they will probably reach the Senate next week.

The Fitz-John Porter case was under consideration at the Cabinet meeting today, and it is believed that action will be taken towards having it reopened. All the members were present except the Attorney-General.

FOREIGN.

Dr. Carver Again.

LONDON, Feb. 14.—A three-handed pigeon match was shot at Liverpool today at 100 yards, for £100 a side, Dr. Carver, at 31 yards, shooting against Mr. Graham at 29 yards, and Mr. Fowler, the Scotch champion, at 28 yards. Dr. Carver won easily.

The Monetary Conference.

LONDON, Feb. 14.—A Berlin despatch to the St. James Gazette says France seems disinclined to recouvene the monetary conference April 1st, owing to her desire to avoid another failure in her efforts to secure uniformity of views on the part of the Powers.

The Plague in Persia.

TABREZ, Feb. 14.—An epidemic strongly resembling the plague recently appeared near Saujbulagh. Forty deaths have occurred since Feb. 8th.

Trouble in Bulgaria.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 14.—Advices from Sophia state that MM. Balabanoff and Zankoff, representing respectively the moderate and advance parties, have agreed that the present state of things in Bulgaria cannot continue; that a return to a constitutional form of government is necessary and that the great majority of the people favor the revision of the constitution. Russia is disposed to advise Prince Alexander to re-establish parliamentary control, and a fresh political crisis is therefore regarded as probable.

Ireland in Parliament.

LONDON, Feb. 14.—The House this evening resumed debate on the address. Mr. McCarthy's amendment condemning the government's Irish policy was rejected—98 to 30. The address was adopted—87 to 22.

MARINE DISASTERS.

The Sardinian's Passengers.

LONDON, Feb. 14.—The steamer Nederland has landed at Flushing, nineteen of the passengers of the steamer Sardinian, before reported spoken in a disabled condition.

Abandoned on the Ocean.

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—The ship Jessie Burrill arrived here today from Lisbon, bringing the crew of the brig Jennie Morton from Wilmington, N. C., for Baltimore, which was abandoned in a waterlogged and dismasted condition on the 9th instant. The crew suffered great privations, and a seaman died from exposure.

A Flour-Laden Brig Ice-Bound.

HALIFAX, Feb. 14.—The brig Thomas Ridley, from Boston, with flour for North Sydney, C. B., is at Cow Bay, and will most likely have to discharge her cargo there, in consequence of ice in North Sydney Harbor, which prevents the vessel getting to any of the wharves.

Steamer Caught in the Ice Field.

OTTAWA, Ont., Feb. 14.—A despatch received by the Marine Department from Picton, N. S., Saturday last, announced that the Northern Light, the winter steamer which runs between Prince Edward's Island and the main land, had left Pictou on the 4th inst., and could be seen from Fisher's Point until the 9th inst., in the ice between Cariboo and East Pictou Island, and that the gulf was completely crammed with heavy ice. Another despatch today states that the Northern Light is about seven miles off Cariboo, and that all her passengers, with one exception, were landed on Sunday. The steamer is now reported all right, but will require strong southerly winds to get her clear.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

PROVIDENCE, Feb. 14.

Senate.

The Senate was called to order by His Excellency Governor Littlefield at 11:10 o'clock.

His Excellency called up the special order of the day, the motion to reconsider the vote whereby a joint special committee on the subject of woman suffrage was appointed. The Governor stated the condition in which the matter stood, and said His Honor the Lieutenant Governor had the floor.

Mr. Fay reviewed the action of the Senate at this session on the subject of woman suffrage petitions. He was only anxious that the Senate should do the right thing. The presiding officer had done the proper thing by stretching parliamentary law in this matter further than he would on some other questions. I feel that the Senate by the action taken has placed itself in a very embarrassing condition. We are bound as well by unwritten as by written laws. When the Senator from Providence offered his resolution for a joint special committee on changes in the constitution, I think it quite possible that some of the Senators present did not realize that it included the subject of woman suffrage. On this question I have sympathy with allowing women to have a full vote equal with men, but none with that feeling which would concede to them the right to vote on petty matters. And when the Senator from Providence was appointed on this committee I thought that, as a friend of the movement in its fullest sense, I should like to have him consider this question, and felt it would have fair treatment in this committee. This committee could not be arranged simply for the consideration of the subject of woman suffrage. There were numbers of other questions which would come before it, and the members were selected with reference to their ability to meet the entire question. I do not see where the ground of protest comes in here. If any, it is on the part of those who are inimical to woman suffrage. There is only one way out of the difficulty for the Senate now, however.

Mr. Doyle said—It is hardly necessary for me to say that the subject of woman suffrage did not enter my mind in offering the resolution appointing the committee on constitutional changes, nor for that matter did the subject of a prohibitory law. I had in view simply the fact that petitions looking to a revision of the constitution and to certain other changes were before the community, of which woman suffrage was not one.

The discussion was continued at some length.

Mr. Fay explained that he wanted action to cover the whole ground. He had no sympathy with the minor matters. This was in the nature of an omnibus bill.

The vote appointing the joint special committee on woman suffrage was then reconsidered, and the resolution was indefinitely postponed.

The chair ruled that the petitions and memorials are now in the hands of the joint special committee on constitutional changes.

Mr. Doyle asked that the joint special committee on constitutional changes be discharged from further consideration of woman suffrage petitions.

Mr. Bowen said this was out of order. It was explained that this must be done by a joint resolution.

Mr. Bowen, from the Committee on Finance, reported back a resolution making an appropriation for the reception of the representatives of France. Read and passed.

The act amending the charter of the Aid for the Aged in Newport was reported as enacted and engrossed.

His Excellency presented a communication he had received from the Governor of Virginia, instructing and requesting representatives of that state in Congress to give their support to the Blair bill for the establishment and support of common schools, and calling the attention of the executives of other states to the matter. Read and ordered communicated to the House.

Mr. Doyle offered a resolution discharging the joint special committee on changes in the constitution from the further consideration of petitions for woman suffrage, and providing for their consideration by a separate joint special committee. He begged as a favor that he might not be assigned to service on that committee.

House.

The House met at 10 o'clock. Mr. Speaker Sanborn in the chair.

Mr. Tobey, of Providence, in accordance with previous notice introduced a bill for an act in amendment of Chapter 158 of the Public Statutes, of railroad corporations. This provides that no freight train shall be propelled over any railroad in this state, the length of which renders it impossible to go wholly upon off the side tracks provided by the rules of the road.

Mr. Sheffield, of Newport, introduced a resolution instructing the committee on finance to inquire into the propriety of equalizing the salaries of the Trial Justices of Woonsocket, Pawtucket and Newport. Read and passed.

Mr. Sheffield presented petition of Horatio W. Allen and others for leave to construct a wharf at Block Island. Referred to the committee on the judiciary.

Mr. Townsend, of Newport, presented the remonstrances of Benjamin Bateman and fifty-two others against the taking of the election of superintendent of public schools from the people. Referred to the committee on education.

Mr. Sheffield gave notice that the joint committee on constitutional change will meet tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, in the judiciary room of the House, for the purpose of organizing and considering the matters referred to it.

The House then adjourned.

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SHADOWS IN IRELAND.

THE SIGHTS WHICH A TRAVELER THROUGH THE GREEN ISLE SEES.

A correspondent of the New York Evening Post, who has been traveling through Ireland writes as follows from Galway:—

I must not forbear to speak of the awful, and, as it seems, rooted poverty that prevails in the districts that I have just visited. The scenes along the usual routes of tourist travel in Ireland during the season of leaf and flower are pitiable enough. But they are beggared by the types of human life that are found in the worst regions of Roscommon, Mayo, Clare and Galway. At places there are bog lands covered with low bushes stretching to the horizon like the sea. To the eye they are scenes of desolation and miasma. Yet on these moist bogs live hundreds of beings calling themselves men, women and children, their huts scarcely distinguishable from the natural upheavals of the rank ground. Some of us who were bred in the country regions of New England may remember that the muskrat builds a winter home along the edges of ponds by heaping weeds, turf, and sticks in the shape of a mound. I know of nothing so like the swamp houses of the poor Irish as these muskrat mounds magnified a few diameters. And the unutterable squalor within! The dirt floor, the smouldering fire, the half dozen pieces of crippled furniture, the rough straw and blanket that make a thing called a bed for half a dozen people, the rags, the filth, the misery! Horrible as these dwellings are, the small villages of Roscommon, Mayo and Galway are only a shade better. The single street is like a barnyard, both as to soil and inhabitants. Cows, pigs, flocks of dirty fowls, and an occasional goat or donkey stroll through it and enter the houses at will. A less squalid but sadder sight in those regions are the ruins of novels which, roofless and shattered, cover a hill here or there, the broken skeletons of the old structures standing out weird and gaunt against the sky. The driver of your jaunting-car will, if an old man, often tell you that he remembers when one of these areas of ruin was an active village of a thousand people. These familiar pictures of Ireland are not, it will be understood, peculiar to the present agitation. But they go with it as companion, concomitant, and partial cause.

The all-pervading intemperance in Ireland is as obvious as ever. It is disclosed not so much in dull faces and staggering forms as in other signs which show that drinking is systematic and deep. On the platform of every little country railroad station are piles of liquor in bottle, cask and case. No hotel is too mean or dirty not to have a barroom almost gorgeous as compared with the rest of the shabby structure. The bill of fare is contemptibly short, the list of liquors indefinately long. It is common talk, moreover, that the poorer classes are getting to prefer more and more strong spirits to ale, porter, or wines, and select the vilest compounds because they are cheaper, and "scratch as they go down the throat." With Intemperance goes her vicious handmaid Ignorance. I have thus far in my many talks with tenant-farmers been peculiarly struck with one thing: not their illiteracy, but their inability to carry logical thinking beyond a certain limited point. You lead them by gentle suasion to talk about their troubles, and their theme is always "the high rent." They feel this as a pricking thorn, but they cannot think beyond its pain. You ask them what they believe will be the outcome of the decisions of the land courts or what Home Rule is to be and why they want it, and they instantly begin to flounder. The poor fellows ask, and yearn, and agitate, and vote for an idea that they cannot yet even define.

Observant men in Ireland have also begun to talk of another phenomenon—the momentary decline of the influence of the Roman Catholic Church over its people. Protestants, particularly landlords, attribute it to the momentum of the agitation. It is far more likely that it is due to the internal divisions of the Church itself. The clerical attitude is no longer consistent and invariable. The priests are Irishmen as well as servants of an infallible head, and they yield in the majority of cases to their sympathies with their environment. The effect is discord—something the Irish layman has rarely seen in his church. While the Archbishop of Galway abets agitations, the Archbishop of Tuam decries it; while a priest at Clonbur helps to Boycott Lord Ardilaun, Father McCullagh at Dromeckin is deserted by his congregation because he had advised them to pay their rent. This contention in the Church, though not sanctioning agitation or outrage, impairs sadly the religious authority which might otherwise be exercised to enforce order and good morals.

A most pernicious ally of the agitation here is what may be called the "American idea" in Irish politics. The Irishman's reveries constantly turn toward the United States. He thinks of that country in almost the same spirit that the Mohammedan dreams of Paradise. No praise is too fulsome, no ideal of national potency too vast for the "other Ireland" across the blue water. This notion, fostered and strengthened by the Irish-Americans who come back to wear fine clothes, spend money and brag, has grown to most mischievous proportions. The Irishman, remembering how America has had one or two historical struggles with the Briton, how she has succored Erin in famine how even now the Land League funds are pouring in from over the sea, talks as though we were in offensive and defensive alliance with Ireland, and only waited her signal for war. The Irishman, too, has boundless conceit as to the importance of his race in the United States. To hear him boast one would imagine that the Celt was dominant in America, that President Arthur was an Irish monarch, and that only waiting for the fullness of time delays the transfer of the Papal See to Washington. I actually heard only a few days ago an Irish orator—and a really eloquent one—at a meeting in London brag about how successfully the Irishman had vindicated his capacity for rulership by his wise administration of the affairs of large American cities, particularly New York. Of course, all this is the very height and depth of nonsense; but it has its vicious effect all the same. It deepens and prolongs the agitation by making the Irishman dream of a special Providence on the transatlantic shore which watches over him, and, in the emergency, will come actively to his rescue.

If the Irish country and poorer classes flock on America, and never even meet a native American without a blarney stone in their pockets, the Irish landlord has decidedly different notions. His liking for his transatlantic cousin has by no means expanded during the pending troubles. Not that he has positive ill-will for Americans as such, but being human, and exaggerating the bad effects on his tenants of the American idea, he is too ready to believe America responsible for his woes. He talks often, and foolishly, too, about the Alabama precedent as one which we should take warning by, and is always referring to the United States as the base line of the Irish agitation. His dislike of the returned Irish-Americans is most intense. "They are always to be known," said a gentleman who has lived in County Cavan to me a few days ago, "by their swaggering ways, their flashy dress and impudent manner. You meet one on the road, and, unlike our native Irishman, he never takes off his hat to you." It might have been suggested to this gentleman that in America on country roads strangers do not doff hats at meeting, and that the Irish-American can scarcely be blamed for copying the habit of his new country; and, furthermore, that even on Irish roads gentlemen strangers usually stare by way of salutation. But, after all, this gentleman was half right. Many of these returned Irishmen no doubt are exactly as he described them, and, when they do not go back to our country, they drift into leaders of the agitation. In this connection it may also be remarked that the Irish ladies comment severely on the love of dress and display which characterizes the Irish serving women who come back from America, but extol their capacity as servants, and, by inference, the efficiency of American ladies in housekeeping. Whatever it may be in the household, the American influence on the political situation here is most baneful and unfortunate.

I have spoken in this letter only of the shadows—some of them dark and long ones—which fall athwart the present agitation. It takes light to make a shadow, and some bright gleams of it fall here even in the gloomiest places.

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Fine Callas worth 50 and 75 cents for from 30 to 40 cents; Heliotropes, Mahernia Odorata or Yellow Bell, 25 cents; Geraniums (double and single), Oxalis (golden yellow), 10 to 15 cents, or $1 per dozen; Primroses, &c.
Orders left at F. M. Wilson's
WILSON'S GREENHOUSES, Broadway.
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Nice, Clean Blue Gravel
FROM EAST RIVER.
Delivered any time during the winter or spring. Samples of sizes can be seen at my garden on Warner street.
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Of the Daily News is filled to overflowing with a very large quantity of Folded and Flat, Ruled and Unruled Note and Letter Papers, White and Buff Envelopes in large variety of weights and sizes, Calendered and Uncalendered Tinted and White Book Papers, Heavy and Light Weight White and Colored Card and Bristol Boards; any of which will be printed in the best manner at short notice.
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Clothing.

WINTER SUITINGS
—AND—
OVERCOATINGS!
in very desirable styles at GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.
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WONDERFUL INVENTIONS
Of the Nineteenth Century: The Magnetic Telegraph, the Telephone, and the Wonderful
"WILSONIA"
MAGNETIC
CLOTHING!
—AND—
Ladies' Corset.
The telegraph and telephone are wonderful inventions! But are no comparison to the health-giving and life-preserving "WILSONIA." The garments, when worn in sufficient quantities to cover the spine and nerve centres, according to directions, will cure all diseases that are curable. They will cure the worst cases of Catarrh ever known, and there is probably not a case of Paralysis but can be cured, if worn according to directions. All sensible men know that medicine will not cure paralysis, but the MAGNETIC CLOTHING will do it. It will also cure Rheumatism, Asthma, Bronchitis, Inflammation and Bleeding of the Lungs, Heart Disease, Albuginous Urine, Locomotor Ataxia, Gout, Varicose Veins, Congestion of the Kidneys, Spinal diseases, and all kinds of Female Weakness. Also a preventive as well as a cure for Pneumonia, and all contagious diseases, such as Small-pox, Scarlet Fever, Erysipelas, etc. There are now 1,000 people wearing these garments in New York, Brooklyn, Boston and Providence, and there are men of great minds, such as Peter Cooper, Thurlow Weed, Com. Garrison, Gen. Graham, and thousands of others.
There have been scores of these garments sold in this city in the last few weeks, and they are doing wonderful cures. Names and testimonials can be seen at this office.
MR. LILLIBRIDGE,
the agent for the city, was stricken down with paralysis, laid for weeks in St. Luke's Hospital, New York, and the physicians pronounced his case entirely hopeless. Mr. Lillibridge put on the garments the 25th of June, 1881, and is today almost as well as he ever was. Send or call for a circular at the Principal Office for New England.
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AGENTS WANTED.
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Suitings, Overcoatings
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PANTALOON GOODS,
In new and desirable styles, just received by
William C. Langley,
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IN EVERY SHADE, AT MODERATE PRICES.
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LADIES'
FUR-LINED
CIRCULARS
—IN—
ALL GRADES,
—FROM—
$25 to $100,
—AT—
J. E. SEABURY'S,
138 & 140 THAMES STREET.

SILK UMBRELLAS
—FOR—
$2.50.
GOULD & SON.

NEWPORT DAILY NEWS AND THE NEWPORT JOURNAL.

The Newport Daily News is published every afternoon (Sundays excepted), at the News building, 137 Thames street, by Davis & Pitman.

The Newport Journal is published at the same office every Saturday morning and contains a selection of the best matter in the Daily, including editorial discussions of the topics of the week, literary miscellanies and at least one good story, and a complete and comprehensive summary of news,—local and general. The Journal is a large 36 column paper and contains a large amount of reading matter that is valuable to readers in town or country who desire a good Newport paper, but who do not take a daily from the city.

Complaints regarding the irregular or improper delivery of either paper should be sent to the office at once.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

The Daily News, $6 per annum, or 12 cents a week payable to carrier.

The Newport Journal will be sent to any address in the United States, postage paid, for $2 a year. A discount of 50 cents is made when the whole year is paid strictly in advance. These terms are invariable.

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Ordinary advertisements, $1 a square, for the first insertion, and 25 cents for each continuance. Ten lines, or less, in this type, make a square. Advertisements in reading matter are charged for, at 50 per cent. extra and are subject to editorial revision. A discount on these rates is allowed on all advertisements ordered in the Daily for one week or longer.

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Yearly advertisers are limited to their immediate business, are guaranteed but five insertions in a week and are allowed twenty-five changes a year.

The circulations of the News and Journal being necessarily distinct, an advertisement inserted in both papers will reach entirely different sets of readers. As further inducement for advertisers to use both News and Journal, a liberal discount on the combined rates is made.

PRINTING.

The News has four steam presses and is a large and well appointed job printing office. All orders for work in this department will be promptly filled, and at reasonable prices. The patronage of the public is respectfully solicited.

Newport Daily News.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1882.

The Fitz-John Porter case will probably be reopened.

There was a sort of Donnybrook fair debate of the Irish question in the national House of Representatives yesterday.

Mme. Chatterton-Bohrer is the garrulously suggestive name of an English "harpist" who is now giving performances in New York city.

Oscar Wilde is said to have received a guinea a line for the short poem by him in Our Continent. It would have been dear at the rate of a guinea a bushel.

We understand that the decision of the surrogate in the Dale will contest rendered as against Mr. T. Nelson Dale will be appealed from by that gentleman.

A Chicago newspaper calls upon the good people of that city to show their piety and their charity to the heathen by providing Oscar Wilde with a pair of trousers.

The investigation into the charges against Col. Rochester, recently nominated for Paymaster General, shows that Col. George L. Febiger, of the Pay Department, is also implicated in the irregularities.

Hon. John C. New, who was yesterday appointed Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, served for some time as Treasurer of the United States. He was for a long time a successful bank president in Indianapolis, and there is no question as to his thorough capability as a business man.

Extracts from the correspondence between the State Department and our representatives at Mexico, Venezuela and Brazil relative to the proposed peace congress of American republics, published by the State Department, indicate, so far as they go, a general inclination by the invited governments to cordially accept the invitation extended by this government.

Mayor Low, of Brooklyn, has somehow got into his head the queer idea that it is a city official's duty to attend to the business of the city. Having given up his own business to devote himself to his duties as mayor, Mr. Low has attempted to exact a similar sacrifice from other officers, and has just been engaged in a conflict which the local papers described as a "hand-to-hand" one with Mr. Jourdan, the police commissioner. Jourdan was given the option of giving up his position or his private business, and chose the latter after some resistance.

Ko Kun-Hua, professor of the Chinese language at Harvard college, died yesterday of pneumonia. He was a blue-button mandarin of Ningpo; he was a most accomplished student of Chinese literature; he had published two volumes of poetry in China and had at the time of his death nearly completed the translation of these poems into English. Since he came to Harvard in 1879 he has had only three pupils in the Chinese language and these for only a short time. He leaves a widow and six children at Cambridge.

Mr. Vance of North Carolina made a speech in the Senate yesterday against a high protective tariff. A bill was reported for the relief of diplomatic and consular officers of the United States. The anti-polygamy bill was taken up and will be considered at today's session. There was a noisy and somewhat exciting session of the House, growing out of the debate on the adverse report of the foreign affairs committee on the Robinson resolution relative to the arrest and imprisonment of American citizens in England. Messrs. Robinson and Cox of New York made speeches favoring the resolution, and Mr. Robeson of New Jersey replied to the attacks made on him by Mr. Robinson and others. The resolution, in an amended form, was finally recommitted to the committee.

A Washington despatch says:—"Lieutenant Flipper was not found guilty of embezzlement, but of deceiving his superior officer, and in view of the failure to prove fraud, and the fact that the government has lost nothing, the sentence will probably be mitigated. General Grierson and other officers of his regiment have written letters in which they speak in high terms of Lieutenant Flipper, and with such indorsement, and with no crime proved against him, the President *would not be justified in dealing with him more severely than others have been dealt with under similar circumstances.*" The portion of this report which we have italicized shows how little a colored delinquent has to hope for from public opinion. If crime had been proved against Flipper, would the President have been justified in dealing with him more severely than others have been dealt with under similar circumstances?

The Pope has wisely prohibited the proposed Carlist pilgrimage to Rome from Spain. That the affair was intended chiefly as a political demonstration is shown by the fact that the "pilgrims" refused to put their visit under the charge of the bishops and insisted upon being led to Rome by a Carlist agitator. The affair got its chief encouragement from the Papal Nuncio at Madrid, and the Pope has announced that he will recall this gentleman. The encouragement of a rebellious faction against a Catholic monarch would seem to be poor business for the Pope's representative to be in, and it is totally opposed to the conciliatory and liberal policy of Leo XIII.

It is estimated that the bill providing for the reduction of the tax on distilled spirits, which has been introduced in the House by Mr. Carlisle, of Kentucky, and which has the support of the United Distillers' Association of the country, will, if adopted, reduce the revenue some $27,000,000 over the figures of last year. The distillers express confidence that it will pass Congress during the present session. The bill proposes a reduction of the tax on all distilled spirits from ninety to fifty cents per gallon after August 1, 1882. It is to be sincerely hoped that the bill will not pass. As long as spirits, which do such an infinite amount of harm, must be tolerated, they should be made to pay their full share of the taxes. This is not a tax which bears upon the poor, for no man needs whisky. The revenue must be raised, and it had much better be raised from luxuries than from necessities. Kentucky, Virginia, Illinois, and a few other states may object that the tax throws too heavy a portion of the internal taxation upon them, but they have the option of devoting their energies to some other pursuits. No states in the Union have a more productive soil, nor have any a more diversified list of products, than those which are largely devoted to the production of whisky. Besides, the tax is really paid by the consumer, wherever he may be. Let us have a "free breakfast table," but not free and untaxed grog.

THE ILLYRIAN INSURRECTION.

The Austrians are beginning to experience some of the difficulties of their campaign against the rebels of Bosnia and Herzegovina. Their troops are suffering terribly from cold. There is a great want of fuel and water, and at least one-half the men are on the sick list. In the vicinity of Cattaro, on the Adriatic, the situation is said to be improving, but the pacific influence of Prince Nikita of Montenego prevails there. Volunteers to assist the Austrians are coming into Cattaro and asking and receiving arms, but there would seem to be danger that these volunteers would join the rebels as soon as the insurrection becomes universal, and use the arms against those who supplied them.

A despatch from St. Petersburg says that General Skobeleff, the brave and talented Russian commander, is about to join the Herzegovinians, but this report is scarcely credible. Russia could take no such open part in the war without exciting the suspicion and resentment of both Austria and Germany, for Prince Bismarck is resolved that Austria's occupation of the Illyrian provinces shall not be interfered with. If General Skobeleff, or any other Russian general of ability, should take command of the insurgents, an entirely new face would be put on the whole matter. There is good ground now to suspect Russian instigation of the Herzegovinian revolt, but it is now only a suspicion. General Tchernayeff's coöperation with the Servians in the war against Turkey really brought on the Russo-Turkish war, and a similar performance in Bosnia on the part of General Skobeleff, who is a much more brilliant officer than Tchernayeff, would be likely to precipitate a conflict between Russia and Austria. The new Russian Czar is a stern, deep, dark ruler, to whom schemes of war seem natural enough, and just now a foreign war would no doubt be welcome to him to relieve the dangers of the domestic situation; but he is doubtless prudent enough not to plunge into a contest with two such enemies as Germany and Austria—a contest in which he would be almost sure to be beaten.

LITTLE COMPTON.

At the monthly meeting of the Court of Probate and Town Council, on the estate of G. F. S. White, represented insolvent, six months were allowed creditors to present claims. The commissioners appointed were F. R. Brownell, Wilmot Luce and John H. Thompkins.

Notice was ordered on petition of Asa Manchester, administrator of estate of John Dyer, for allowance of account.

Samuel P. Palmer was appointed administrator with will annexed of estate of Wilbour Palmer.

Notice was ordered on account of I. B. Cowen, guardian of Dennis Grinnell, and upon his resignation as guardian.

The following were drawn jurors to attend the March term of the Supreme Court; Grand—William T. Simmons and George F. Dyer; Petit—George N. Wilbour, William T. Davol, Thomas E. White, John B. Potter, James N. Burlingame.

O. C. Brownell was appointed a committee to get the Town Hall insured.

Bills for clearing snow from the highways were allowed to the amount of $190.60; and for labor and materials on Town Hall $150.70.

The clerk was instructed to make a contract with some physician to vaccinate the inhabitants of the town.

The following bills were also ordered paid:—A. Thompson, damage by dogs, $5; W. H. Borden, killing dog, $2; I. S. Brownell, work on Asylum, $29.82; O. P. Peckham, Town Sergeant, $14; B. Pierce, $1.75.

The meeting was held in the court room in the new Town Hall today for the first time.

LOCAL NOTES.

ADVERTISEMENTS NEW TODAY.

For Sale—House.
Wanted—Tenement.
Opera House—Our Goblins.
Newton Hammond—Notice.
Centennial Tea Co.—Peas, &c.
Springfield Dye House—Dyeing.

—A detachment of boys for the training school arrived from New York Tuesday morning.

—Mr. Newton Hammond, the confectioner, has taken a store in Hogan's Block, Bellevue avenue.

—Col. W. A. Stedman has gone to Boston to attend the three days' session of the New England Gas Engineers.

—Touro Council, No. 9, American Legion of Honor, will have its anniversary celebration at Odd Fellows' hall this evening.

—We are requested to state that owing to the dance at the Casino on Thursday night Mr. and Mrs. H. Allen Wright will not receive on that evening.

—Mr. C. F. Gifford of Boston is putting one of the Fisher patent refrigerators, the only one of the kind in the city, in Messrs. Isaac W. Sherman & Co.'s meat market.

—Miss Kate O. Palmer, daughter of Mr James R. Palmer of this city, was married at All Soul's Church at Washington, D. C., today to Mr. E. G. Randall of Philadelphia.

—Rev. E. H. Kettell, formerly of this city, preached for Dean Gray at Harvard College on Sunday and came to Newport last night as the guest of Mr. James A. Brown.

—The funeral of Mrs. L. F. Attleton will be solemnized from her former home at Orleans, Mass., tomorrow afternoon. The mother of the deceased died a few weeks before her visit to Florida.

—The members of the 4th U. S. Artillery will give their first social entertainment since their arrival from the Pacific coast, on the evening of February 21st. It promises to be a very pleasing event.

—The arrangements are about completed for the banquet to be given at Odd Fellows' hall tomorrow evening by Phœnix Hook & Ladder Company, whose new truck will arrive from New York tomorrow morning.

—Mr. John S. Hammond, who died in East Greenwich, Monday, was one of the oldest printers in Rhode Island. Mr. Hammond was born in Newport in 1805. His first wife, Mary Ann Sweetland, was a Newport lady, but she died about thirty years ago. He subsequently married Anna Greene, of East Greenwich, who is still living. He was a man of strict integrity and a devout Christian. He has of late years resided in East Greenwich, and transferred his church relations from the Brown Street Church, Providence, to the Baptist Church of that place.

The connection of the coal office of William J. Swinburne was inadvertently omitted from the list of new subscribers to the Telephone Exchange published in the News a few days since.

SANITARY PROTECTION ASSOCIATION.

The regular monthly meeting of the Sanitary Protection Association was held yesterday afternoon at the office of Mr. George C. Mason, Jr. In the absence of the president Dr. Storer was called to the chair.

Several subjects of sanitary interest were discussed in an informal manner. It was reported that a few cases of scarlet fever had appeared in John and Levin streets which had not been reported to the authorities and consequently had not been quarantined. The neglect of the physicians to report these cases as required by law was mentioned as deserving of condemnation. One gentleman present gave it as his opinion that the neglect to comply with the laws in this and other sanitary particulars was not by any means peculiar to Newport, and another suggested that the boasted respect of the Anglo-Saxon people for the law was a sham.

The subject of impurities in ice was considered to be an important one and worthy of more attention than has hitherto been paid to it. The views of Dr. H. A. Mott, Jr., upon this question, quoted in the Daily News of yesterday from the New York Evening Post, were considered to be in many respects incorrect.

Reports were made of ten inspections of the premises of members by the inspecting engineers since the last meeting, and some of those were discussed. It was explained that certain complaints regarding the escape of gas from soil-pipe ventilators were due to the fact that no trap is provided between the inlet of the ventilating pipe and the cess-pool. It was noted that the recommendations of changes to be made were much fewer than formerly, owing to the general improvement of sanitary arrangements.

The condition of the city water was discussed at some length.

JUSTICE COURT.

This court met a second time yesterday at one o'clock P. M., by adjournment from the morning session, for the further hearing of the pending complaints against Mary Lynch, Mary O'Neil and Mary Neilson, and was in session until four o'clock when the hearing was concluded. Mr. Galvin appeared in behalf of Mary Neilson and Mr. Lee for Mary O'Neil.

At the conclusion of the hearing, Mary Lynch, by her agreement, had her case continued until Friday, and for want of bail, was remanded to jail. The other two complaints were continued for one month; Michael Killian becoming bail for Mary O'Neil and Joseph T. Card for Mary Neilson, in the sum of one hundred dollars each, for their appearance at the time agreed upon, for the further order of the court in the premises; no judgment being as yet rendered in either case.

The occasion was a sad one and drew together a large and curious crowd. These young girls, although nothing of a criminal nature was proved against them, aside from the fact of their being found in a disreputable resort, have no doubt been guilty of waywardness, and have brought sorrow to their homes by their misconduct; and as they seemed to realize the terrible position in which their arraignment before this court places them, it is to be hoped that the probation upon which the court has wisely and kindly placed them will result in their being still more fully awakened to the dangers of their situation, and lead them to a course of conduct that will fully redeem them not only from their present troubles, but also from any contingency in the future of being again placed in so trying a position. The real punishment in these cases falls not upon the really guilty ones, but upon the loving hearts of those connected with them by the fondest and most sacred ties of relationship, and who love them still whatever may befall them and however much they may be despised and rejected of others. It was a heart-rending and demoralizing exhibition, a recurrence of which, it is to be hoped, will not soon be seen.

ZION CHURCH FAIR.

A successful entertainment was the fair at the Opera House last evening under the auspices of the ladies of Zion Church parish. The elements were auspicious and the gathering large, and all seemed to enjoy themselves. In fact, at the fairs given by the ladies of this parish everything seems to be of an extremely social character, and everybody is always pleased. The usual attractive features were presented to please the eye, although the stately tree that annually has adorned the centre of the hall with its varied load of attractions was missed.

The dinner and supper table, to so many a most attractive as well as necessary feature, under the supervision of Mrs. Copeland and Mrs. Crosby with assistants, was well patronized.

The fancy table under the charge of Miss Lizzie Stoddard, assisted by Mrs. Tripp and Miss Hattie Thurston, was a most attractively embellished affair. It was well supplied and did a good business.

The cake table presented its usual delicious varieties. It made large sales and sold entirely out. It was a success financially, and was presided over by Miss Lou Stewart and Miss Emma Goffe.

The doll table was in charge of Miss Hattie Stewart. There were babes and young ladies, all in full dress with the accustomed bride, who, it is painful to relate, found no takers.

The apron table, in charge of Miss Mary A. Hazard, distributed for value received many of these attractive and useful articles.

The flower table, a beautifully gotten up affair, trimmed with evergreens and handsomely draped, was in charge of Mrs. Stratford, Miss Hattie Sharpe, and Miss Deborah Stoddard, and presented its usual beautiful varieties. Valentines, just in the nick of time, with fancy cards, were in the hands of Miss Clara Atkinson.

The Japanese room, an exceedingly pretty feature of the fair, was in charge of Mrs. Freeborn S. Waite. Here one could take tea with the privilege of taking cup and saucer home in his pocket.

Ice cream was dispensed by Miss Sarah Weaver and Miss Kate Austin, and was largely patronized.

A new feature was a boat prettily draped and ornamented with a large variety of fancy notions as freight, which were disposed of by Mrs. Pearson, Miss Annie Goffe and Miss Martie Saunders.

Miss Mattie Goff and Miss Lou Hart, the two poor old apple women, with peanuts and candy, solicited trade to considerable advantage.

The soap bubble table helped to swell the coffers of the church.

The gipsy tent was in charge of Miss Clara Blackman, and attracted many an unwary youth.

The art gallery, contributed by and in charge of Mr. William Carry, was excellent. It merits more extended notice than our space will permit.

In the midst of all Rebecca (Wood) stood at the well and continued to draw yellow buckets from the well which never gave out, but furnished lemonade as long as there was a nickel or a thirsty wayfarer.

In the gallery, which was filled to overflowing, was stationed the Newport band, Professor Mathers leader, which enlivened the occasion and contributed very much to the success of the entertainment by the choice selections of music rendered during the evening.

Rev. E. H. Kettell came on purposely to attend the fair, as he had in former years taken great interest, while rector of the church, in getting up these social gatherings. He was warmly welcomed by all his old friends and parishioners, who were delighted to see him.

The rector, the Rev. J. C. Hewlett, was present, endeavoring to make everything pleasant and agreeable, and contributing to the best of his ability to the pleasure and gratification of those present.

The whole affair passed off pleasantly and was a financial success, to what extent we are not correctly informed as yet. The net proceeds will not vary much from last year.

Zion Church is to be congratulated on the success which always attends her enterprises of this character and in this instance much is due to the interest and labors of Mrs. Wm. C. Cozzens, who was the general director or manager of the whole.

GRAND LODGE KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

The eleventh annual session of the Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias, of the state of Rhode Island, was held Tuesday in Pawtucket, in the hall of Eureka Lodge, No. 5, Grand Chancellor George A. Steere, presiding. After the usual routine business, the annual report of the Grand Chancellor was presented. This report first calls attention in fitting terms to the assassination of President Garfield, and the death of General Burnside, paying both high meed of respect and esteem; then pays a brotherly tribute to Arthur O. Rockwell, Grand Keeper of Records and Seal, of the Grand Lodge of Rhode Island, for more than five years, and who held that position at the time of his death, Oct. 25th, 1881—"a brother ever ready to extend the warm hand of friendship and offer his aid and assistance, even though it was to his own loss, to relieve a distressed brother"—and to P. C. Solomon Levy, who died Dec. 28th, 1881. The report was referred to the proper committee for distribution.

At noon the Grand Lodge proceeded to the election of officers for the ensuing year, with the following result:—

Grand Chancellor—Benjamin H. Child.
Grand Vice Chancellor—George C. Gates, of Pawtucket.
Grand Prelate—John C. Robinson, of Providence.
Grand Master of Exchequer—John Gallington, of Providence.
Grand Keeper of Records and Seal—William A. Wilson, of Providence.
Grand Master-at-Arms—Thomas C. Barber.
Grand Inner Guard—Henry C. Sheldon.
Grand Outer Guard—Thomas C. Moies.

The attendance at the session was large, between seventy and eighty Knights being present, representing every lodge in the jurisdiction.

It was voted to hold the next annual meeting in Woonsocket, and the Grand Lodge adjourned.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

The following officers were elected and installed last evening at the annual election of DeBlois Council No. 5, R.·. and S.·. M.·.—

T.·. I.·. M.·.—Wm. F. Spingler.
Dep.·. M.·.—Wm. W. Marvel.
P.·. C.·. of W.·.—Wm. J. Huntington.
Treasurer—J. G. Spingler.
Recorder—Ara Hildreth.
Capt. of G.—Wm. H. Davis.
C. of C.—Samuel J. Atwater.
Musical Director—J. L. Frank.
Steward—D. J. Lambert.
Sentinel—Geo. W. Tew.

After the installation a hearty and unanimous vote of thanks was given to Thrice Illustrious R. H. Tilley, on his retiring from the chair, for the energetic and successful manner in which he had worked to promote the interests of the council.

THE PREAKNESS STUD SCANDAL.

A special despatch to the Cincinnati Enquirer from Lexington, Ky., dated February 10, says:—Colonel J. W. Hudson, late manager of the stock farm of Mr. M. H. Sanford, it will be recollected, was charged with removing seven fine thoroughbred colts and fillies from the farm when the farm and stock were sold to D. Swigert, and putting seven cold blooded animals in their places. The discovery of this affair led to the exposure of the greatest turf scandal of the decade.

On Wednesday Mr. Hudson left for parts unknown. Today it it understood he was indicted by the Grand Jury for grand larceny. His was a terrible fall. With $3,000 a year salary he was not satisfied; but if Mr. Sanford had died before the discovery of his mutilations of the private stud books and swapping of stock, $3,000 would not have been a circumstance to his gains. There is an additional rumor tonight that some of the brood mares are missing.

The principal fun of a farce played at a San Francisco theatre lay in the butting of the low comedian by a goat. The manager thought he had overcome all the difficulties of the piece when he obtained a goat that had been taught to plunge madly at every stooping person, but the first night's spirited performance, though it pleased the audience mightily, caused the butted actor to send in his resignation. The matter was arranged, however, by introducing a stalwart and padded negro to receive the goat's onslaught.

"Well," said Mr. Fleming, a prominent citizen of Fort Wayne, Ind., "I don't know what to make of it." Mr. Fleming referred to the elopement of his young and beautiful daughter, finely educated, sweet and gentle in disposition, and quite domestic in her tastes, with Tony Trentman, a notorious gambler and tough crowd generally. And all the good people echo the old gentleman's words.

The Detroit Free Press learns that Boston school girls have got so that they can walk a mile in twelve minutes. Each one is provided with a gong, the same as a hook and ladder truck, and it is only now and then that any one is killed.

Condensed Telegrams.

Small-pox in Chicago is rapidly abating.

Farmers in Iowa are doing their spring plowing.

A contract for 100 electric street lights has been signed in Boston.

The snow is remarkably deep in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick.

All the ice on the Hudson south of Fort Montgomery is on the move.

The Italian Chamber of Deputies has adopted the *scrutin de liste* bill.

The discovery of a conspiracy at Cairo to replace the ex-Khedive on the throne is reported.

The Pacific national bank, of Boston, is likely to go into the hands of a receiver within a few days.

Governor Cameron, of Virginia, has approved the Riddleberger debt bill, and it is now the law of the state.

The Central Pan-Slavist committee at Moscow has issued an appeal for the support of the insurgents in Herzegovina.

The Rhode Island harbor commissioners have forbidden the further dumping into the river of snow and slush by the city.

There is some doubt whether Mr. Gladstone will consent to send any English representative to the Monetary Conference when it reopens.

Resolutions of denunciation of Guiteau and of condolence for the late President's family were unanimously passed in the Delaware House, yesterday.

A detachment of the Yemen rebels is advancing upon Mecca to proclaim there the spiritual deposition of the Sultan of Turkey, and the restoration of the Arabian caliphate.

Three students at Williston Seminary, at East Hampton, Mass., have been suspended for hazing another student, and two upper classes refuse to attend recitations till the suspended students are reinstated.

Three young fellows, not over 18 years of age, were arrested Tuesday night, near Kansas City, charged with attempting to wreck the Missouri Pacific westward-bound train. They were all heavily armed and provided with masks.

An eight-year-old boy died at Point St. Charles near Montreal from the excessive use of liquor. The coroner's jury has brought in a verdict of wilful murder against some person or persons. An effort is being made to find the persons who gave the liquor.

Mr. Richard A. Bagnell, train dispatcher of the Old Colony Railroad, has been missing from his office in Boston and from home since Monday evening, when he was known to have attended the Masonic Lodge meeting in South Boston. He lived in Edinboro street in Boston, and it is feared he has been waylaid on the road home, which lay over Federal street bridge in a lonely part of the city.

PERSONALS.

......The Rev. Mr. Gould, the eminent Baptist minister of London, is dead.

......Assemblyman Theodore Roosevelt of New York is writing a naval history of the war of 1812.

......Bret Harte's son is fitting himself for the stage, and will join the company of Mr. John McCullough.

......Sebastian Merwarth, who as a soldier accompanied Napoleon in his famous march to Moscow, died near Easton, Pa., on Sunday, in the ninetieth year of his age.

......Justice Field on Monday entertained guests at a dinner in Washington in honor of his brother, David Dudley Field, who was seventy-seven years old on that day.

......Clarissa Babcock Patterson, widow of Benjamin Patterson, died at Woodstock, Vt., Monday night, at the age of one hundred and one years, five months and twenty-three days.

......Mrs. Cornwallis West, who has been seriously ill with inflammation of the lungs, is now much better, and by the advice of her physician, Dr. Collins, she is shortly going to Algiers for the restoration of her health.

......A verdict of $14,000 has been given against Mr. Bookwalter, last year's Democratic candidate for Governor of Ohio, in favor of a man who was badly crippled by falling into a hole in front of the Bookwalter block, Springfield, O.

......Edwards Pierrepont, late American Minister at the court of St. James, has arrived at Ottawa with several prominent New Yorkers. It is understood they are there on business connected with the Northern Pacific Railway Company.

......The choice of Gov. Long, of Massachusetts, for a Justice of the Superior Court, vice Wilkinson, deceased, has fallen upon the Hon. Albert Mason, who accepts. This makes a vacancy in the Harbor and Land Commission, to which the Hon. John E. Sanford will be appointed.

......Secretary Hunt yesterday received a despatch from Lieutenant Harber announcing his arrival in London, England, and his intention to proceed to Paris to confer with Mr. James Gordon Bennett in reference to the Jeannette search as soon as Master Schoutze arrives in London.

......"Gail Hamilton" is described in the editorial correspondence of The Argonaut as "prodding" Oscar Wilde when he was presented to her with the direct inquiry, "How long is this joke to last?" Its directness staggered Mr. Wilde, and, after a stare of blank amazement, he replied, with an interrogatory in every letter:—"J-o-k-e? It is my life."

......Mr. B. B. Hotchkiss, the American inventor of the revolving cannon, adopted by the principal governments, has received the decoration of Chevalier of the Legion of Honor on account of his services to the French marine. The Danish Government has also conferred upon Mr. Hotchkiss the cross of Denmark for similar services rendered to its artillery.

......President Arthur's dinner party on Thursday to the diplomats will be a magnificent entertainment. The table will be dressed with rare flowers and lighted by wax candles in silver candelabra. The dinner will be served in fourteen courses, and six kinds of wine will be successively served. The British Minister has issued invitations for a reception on Thursday evening, but on receiving the President's invitation to himself and daughter to dinner on that evening, he issued cards postponing his reception until the 20th inst.

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BILLIARDS.

The International Tournament Given up.

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PARIS, Feb. 15.—The proposed international billiard tournament between French and American players has been given up on account of the inability of the parties to agree upon the terms. Schaeffer has left the city.

Weather Indications.

Special Despatch to the Daily News.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—For New England, fair weather, westerly winds, stationary or higher temperature.

It is raining at Charleston, Savannah and New Orleans.

At New York the weather is clear and mild; wind west; thermometer 39°.

Murder of a Sheriff.

Special Despatch to the Daily News.]

RALEIGH, Feb. 15.—Deputy Sheriff Blake was killed yesterday by a mulatto whom he had arrested. A posse is in pursuit of the assassin.

Brooklyn Excise Fees.

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BROOKLYN, Feb. 15.—The excise commissioners have doubled the liquor license fees.

Death of John E. McDonough.

Special Despatch to the Daily News.]

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 15.—John E. McDonough, the actor, died in this city at one o'clock this morning of cancer.

FORTY-SEVENTH CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, February 14.

Senate.

Mr. Windom, from the committee on foreign relations, reported an original bill for the relief of diplomatic and consular officers of the United States.

Upon the expiration of the morning hour, the pension arrears resolution came up.

Mr. Edmunds moved to proceed with the anti-polygamy bill, but said he would not ask a vote on the motion until several Senators who had given notice of set speeches on other subjects today had been heard.

Mr. Vance then took the floor for a speech on the tariff. He deplored the burdens of the high protective policy which fell with the greatest weight upon the agricultural class, and did more to retard the growth and impair the wealth of the South than any other cause. This policy he thought illustrated the general drift of Congressional legislation in enabling one section of the country to absorb and utilize the emoluments and the benefits of the government to the exclusion of another section.

Upon the conclusion of Mr. Vance's remarks Mr. Edmunds's motion to take up the anti-polygamy bill prevailed, and the bill was taken up and laid over until tomorrow.

House.

Mr. Robinson's resolution calling on the Attorney-General for a written opinion on the right of Great Britain to arrest and detain, without definite charge and without trial, Speaker Keifer, Governor Cornell or Charles Carroll, a laborer, or other American citizens, was reported from the committee on foreign affairs with a recommendation to lay it on the table. Mr. Robinson wished to make a speech, but was denied the opportunity. Mr. Cox then demanded a yea and nay vote to compel members to make a record. The Democrats insisted on thus taking the vote though Mr. Robinson tried to avoid it, and the roll was called.

The vote to table was carried:—Yeas, 116; nays, 103. This was substantially a party vote, although some Democrats voted with the Republicans.

Mr. Orth, of Indiana, also reported adversely the resolution requesting the President to communicate all correspondence with the British government on file in the State Department in reference to the case of D. H. O'Connor, a citizen of the United States now imprisoned in Ireland.

The House refused to lay the resolution upon the table—71 to 79.

Mr. Cox, of New York, thereupon offered an amendment, requesting the President to obtain for D. H. O'Conner and other American citizens now imprisoned under a suspension of the *habeas corpus* by the British government in Ireland, without trial, conviction or sentence, a speedy and fair trial or a prompt release.

Mr. Pond, of Wisconsin, raised the point of order that the amendment was not germane.

Mr. Kasson, of Iowa, stated that the House had no official knowledge as to the cases of the "other persons." He did not think that this mere buncombe amounted to any thing.

The speaker sustained the point of order, and the amendment was not received.

Mr. Robinson, of New York, said that he wanted to see any man here in whose veins a drop of American blood coursed, stand up and vote to lay the resolution on the table. The men who were in English bastiles were the equals of any gentleman on the floor, and superior to some who did not go to the field of battle. These men had faced a gallant enemy and fought for their country and for the Union, but they were now lying and rotting in jail, while here in the House men not so good as they were willing to lay a resolution of this kind on the table. Was that Americanism, was that the spirit of the flag? Mr. Robinson declared that according to the system followed by the Government in getting its citizens out of prisons, it would take a thousand years to get a fly off of a molasses cup. Let the scream of the eagle be heard; let the immortal memory of Clay be recalled, and let his words be quoted:—"Let them hear the roar of American artillery." After referring to Mr. Robeson, he stated that he had been that gentleman's teacher, but that he was a very dull boy.

Mr. Robeson, of New Jersey, said that he was not ashamed of the distinction, if it was a distinction, of being the target for all the folly and every crank in the House. [Derisive exclamations on the Democratic side.] He had never interfered with the gentleman from New York (Mr. Robinson). He had never sat down on the gentleman, because he knew that gentleman's wind came without pressure. [Laughter.] The House ought to summon experts to examine the gentleman before he was permitted further to interfere with the legislation.

The confusion, which had been all day very great upon the floor, was increased as Mr. Randall of Pennsylvania, Mr. Cox of New York, and Mr. Hooker of Mississippi, rose with points of order against the Speaker awarding the floor to Mr. Orth. Some sharp words passed between Mr. Randall and Mr. Robeson.

The Speaker overruled the points of order and recognized Mr. Orth to demand the previous question.

From the decision Mr. Cox, of New York, appealed, but the appeal was tabled—yeas, 128; nays, 112.

After some further discussion Mr. Cox, of New York, moved to recommit the resolution with instructions to the committee to insert the names of Michael Hurt, N. O. Mahoney and John McEnery, and to add a clause requesting the President to demand of the British government the prompt trial of these citizens or their prompt release.

Mr. Orth stated that he had no objection to that action, and the resolution was accordingly recommitted.

A proposition for a night session was voted down and the consideration of the apportionment bill was resumed.

Mr. Herbert, of Alabama, argued in favor of a small House, but great confusion prevented his being heard, and he yielded to a motion to adjourn, which was, at 4.35; carried.

Some curious personal statistics show that the oldest earl in the United Kingdon, the earl of Mountcashel, aged 89, who is the oldest peer in existence, is an Irishman; the oldest marquis, the marquis of Donegal, aged 84, is an Irishman; the oldest judge, Baron Fitzgerald, close on 75, is an Irishman; and the oldest bishop, the bishop of Kelmore, aged 81, is an Irishman; thus showing that in the green isle, if the land league will give a man fair play, it is possible to attain to a ripe old age.

Southern railroads report that travel to Florida is considerably ahead of that of last season.

ARRIVAL OF OCEAN STEAMERS.

New York, 14th, Catalonia, from Liverpool; Marengo, from Hull; Alvena, from West Indies; Edith Golden, from Kingston; State of Pennsylvania, from Glasgow; England, from Liverpool.

FOREIGN PORTS.

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London, 12th, Persian Monarch, from New York; 14th, Galatia, from New York.

Cardiff, 13th, Glendale, from Port Royal.

Glasgow, 14th, State of Nevada, from N. Y.

Passed the Lizard, 14th, Oder, from N. Y.

Passed Flushing, 14th, Nederland, from New York.

Havana, 13th, City of Washington, from New York.

Vera Cruz, 11th, City of Merida, from New Orleans; 13th, British Empire, from N. Y.

LOCAL WEATHER REPORT.

YESTERDAY.	3.23 P.M.	7.21 P.M.	11.23 P.M.
Barometer	30.12	30.18	30.19
Thermometer	48	40	36
Humidity	36	74	78
Wind.. Direction..	W	SW	S
Wind.. Velocity..	14	4	4
Weather	Clear	Clear	Clear

Mean Daily Barometer 30.12
Mean Daily Thermometer 42
Maximum Temperature 49
Minimum Temperature 34
Total am't of rain during the day..0.04 inch.

TODAY.	7.23 A. M.	11.23 A. M.
Barometer	30.21	30.26
Thermometer	38	43
Humidity	77	80
Wind.. Direction..	SW	SW
Wind.. Velocity..	6	12
Weather	Clear	Clear

Total movement of wind from noon yesterday to noon today ..... 135 miles.
Max. velocity of wind from noon yesterday to noon today ..... 14 miles.

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MINIATURE CALENDAR.

TOMORROW, (THURSDAY) FEB. 16, 1882.

Sun rises ..... 6 h. 55 m.
Sun sets ..... 5 h. 34 m.
Moon rises (A. M.) ..... 5 h. 32 m.
Length of day ..... 10 h. 39 m.
Day's increase ..... 1 h. 35 m.
High water, 6 h. 15 m., A. M.; 6 h. 44 m., P. M.
Height of tide, 3 ft. 9 in., A. M.; 4 ft. 0 in., P. M.

Moon's Phases for February, 1882.

	D.	H. M.
Full Moon	3	1 14 A. M.
Last Quarter	11	3 50 A. M.
New Moon	17	10 06 P. M.
First Quarter	24	4 47 P. M.

Died.

ATTLETON—On steamer City of Atlanta, 13th instant, Mrs. L. F. Attleton, aged 34 years, 5 months and 15 days.
Funeral at Orleans, Mass., Thursday afternoon.
HAMMOND—In East Greenwich, 14th inst., John S. Hammond, aged 77 years, 10 mos.
WEBB—In Bristol, 12th instant, George S. Webb, of St. Louis, Mo., aged 32 years.
WEBBER—In Taunton, Mass., 14th instant, John H. Webber, aged 53 years, 7 months.
DRISCOLL—In Fall River, Mass., 13th inst., Harriet A., wife of Peter M. Driscoll, aged 27 years.

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FAILURE OF JUSTICE.

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CHICAGO, Feb. 15.—Johnny Lamb, on trial here for the murder of Policeman Race, was acquitted yesterday. Lamb had been in jail three years awaiting the final disposition of his case. Officer Race was shot dead by some thieves who were engaged at a late hour at night removing some goods from a store in an express wagon, and the thieves and murderers drove rapidly away in the wagon. The murder was quickly traced to Lamb, and he was arrested after having taken to flight, but the evidence was not held by the jury to be sufficient to convict him.

LIBERIA EMIGRANTS.

Arrival of Another Ship Load of Colored Colonists at Monrovia.

Special Despatch to the Daily News.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—Letters received from Liberia announce the arrival there, on the 13th inst., of the bark Monrovia from New York with colored emigrants sent out by the American Colonization society. The party arrived safely and well.

THE KENTUCKY DEMOCRATS.

A Revolt Against the Bourbons.

Special Despatch to the Daily News.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—There are indications of a revolt in the Democratic party in Kentucky. An anti-Bourbon movement is soon to be organized. Senator Beck's efforts to conciliate the malcontents have proved a failure as they regard his promises as "taffy."

NEW SOUTH WALES.

Efforts to Subsidize the Steamship Route to that Country.

Special Despatch to the Daily News.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—Sir Harry Parkes, the colonial secretary of New South Wales, returns to this country Monday, and will commence working to obtain a steamship subsidy in addition to that of New South Wales for the mail service between the two countries.

A Scoundrel Arrested.

Special Despatch to the Daily News.]

PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 15.—John S. Ward beat and abused two elderly ladies, named Ella and Mary Means, aged 83 and 73, on Nov. 11. He was arrested yesterday.

Wall Street.

Special Despatch to the Daily News.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Stocks opened weak, ⅛ to 2 lower, and in the early dealings fell off ¼ to 2¾. New Jersey Central and Rio Grande were the most prominent. At 11 there was a recovery of ⅞ to ⅞. Since that hour Rio Grande has declined 2¾, and others ½. After noon there was a recovery of ⅛ to ½.

BLOCK ISLAND.

Early on Tuesday morning fire was discovered issuing from one of the upper rooms of the Narragansett Hotel which contained a quantity of beds and bedding from which it is supposed it first originated. But for the timely appearance of those who discovered and finally subdued the fire it might have proved a serious conflagration. It is currently believed that the work was that of an incendiary, as the proprietor states that the room has not been used by any one, having been locked up since the closing of the summer season.

A site for a parsonage for the Freewill Baptist Church has been purchased of Mr. Nathan Mott for the sum of $2,000. The property is situated near Beacon Hill. MAC.

THE METHODIST CONFERENCE.

The Providence Star has an interesting article in relation to the next session of the New England Southern Conference, which convenes in the Broadway church in that city on the 5th of April. It states that the term of office of the Rev. D. A. Whedon, presiding elder of the Providence district, is to expire. The Rev. W. V. Morrison, D. D., now the pastor of the Hope street Church, Providence, has already been quite extensively published as the probable successor in the presiding eldership of the Providence district, although he states that he knows nothing of the arrangement beyond what he has seen publicly published.

One item of importance to come before the Conference is the case of W. F. Whitcher, late pastor of the Matthewson street Church. Mr. Whitcher feels his position keenly, and has done all that a man could do to make amends for his sinful proceedings, and is seeking, by a consistent life, to again secure the moral and Christian confidence which he once enjoyed. He is at present in Boston, editorially connected with a daily newspaper, and is doing well.

The Rev. Edward D. Towle, pastor of the County Street Church, New Bedford, has already announced his intention of withdrawing from the Conference and the Methodist ministry. He assigns, as a reason for his withdrawal, a difference of belief on certain doctrinal questions. He has not, during his connection with the Methodist ministry, been considered as affiliating harmoniously with his brethren on some doctrinal points even when passing through his course of study as prescribed by the "Methodist Discipline." At the time of his ordination a certain question was asked by the bishop an answer to which was not received until the bishop assured him that he could not be ordained until the question was answered. He then replied to the interrogatory, but made an explanation with his response. It has been surmised that he will enter the Unitarian denomination.

The oldest preacher connected with the Conference, and one of the oldest preachers in the United States, is the Rev. Frederick Upham, D. D., who resides in Fairhaven. He joined this Conference (formerly called Providence) at its organization, in 1841. He has been stationed at some charge every year, beginning with 1821, until the present time, having been in the active work of the ministry 61 years. During this time he has been pastor of 27 different churches, including the First Methodist Church in this city. He has also filled the office of Presiding Elder a number of years. This venerable man is known throughout the New England branch of the church as "Father Upham," and each recurring year, for many years, he has conducted the services at the "annual conference love feast." He has a son in the ministry of the same church, the Rev. S. F. Upham, D. D., who is a member of the New England Conference, and who is at present professor of practical theology in the Drew Theological Seminary, Madison, N. J.

The presiding elders of the three districts will render pleasing reports, as most of the churches are said to be more than ordinarily prosperous.

The sudden turning on of the gas at Mrs. Crindle Reynold's materializing seance in Brooklyn, Sunday night, while two "spooks" were on the scene, showed the masked form of the medium as one of the ghosts, and a mask, from which depended white illusion, in her outstretched hand, the other.

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R. D. HITCHCOCK,
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S. B. LUCE, Commodore, U. S. N.,
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I HAVE this day taken into co-partnership my son, Walter S. Langley, and the business hereafter will be conducted under the name of WILLIAM C. LANGLEY & SON. Thankful for past favors we shall endeavor to merit a continuance of the same.

Owing to the above change it is important that all accounts should be immediately paid; and all persons having accounts will please present them at once for settlement.

WILLIAM C. LANGLEY.
Newport, R. I., Feb. 6, 1882. f13-3t

NOTICE!

THERE WILL BE a meeting of the stockholders of the Newport Omnibus Co., at No. 4 Travers block, on Thursday, February 16th, 1882, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Per order, J. D. PROUD, Sec'y.
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North side of Park on Washington Square,
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Young Street,
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Her aspect said "Remain."
'Twixt what I saw and what I heard,
My judgment wavered quite—
Whether she meant by glance or word
To part us, or unite.

But now each lover I advise,
Like me, to make his choice;
In duty to his lady's eyes,
To disregard her voice.
Such orbs with kinder light are filled,
The nearer we adore;
And pouting lips, if bravely stilled,
Will banish us no more.

—[London Spectator.

SUNDRIES.

The difference between a dog and a boy consists in the fact that when a dog finds a scent he doesn't spend it for candy.—[Philadelphia Chronicle-Herald.

The coming servant girl will say to her mistress, "You will please not associate with Mrs. X. I do not know the woman, but I hate the lady who works in her kitchen, and could not think of permitting any intimacy between the two families."—[Philadelphia News.

A thousand men can go to work at seven o'clock in the morning without the ringing of a bell, and why is it that 300 people cannot assemble in a church without a previous ding-donging lasting half an hour?—[Free Press. Why, man, it's because they go out at seven o'clock to get money. Put a twenty-dollar gold piece in each pew every Sunday, and you may sell your bell for old metal.—[Courier Journal.

One afternoon a stranger, noticing the stream of people entering a church, approached a man of gloomy aspect, who was standing near the entrance, and asked:—"Is this a funeral?" "Funeral! No!" was the sepulchral answer. "It is a wedding." "Excuse me," added the stranger; "but I thought from your serious looks that you might be a hired mourner." "No," returned the man, with a weary, far-off look in his eyes. "I'm a son-in-law of the bride's mother."

"Do you mean to call me a liar?" asked one railroad man of another railroad man during a dispute on business they had on Austin avenue yesterday. "No, Colonel, I don't mean to call you a liar. On the contrary, I say you are the only man in town who tells the truth all the time; but I'm offering a reward of twenty-five dollars and a chromo to any other man who will say he believes me when I say you never lie," was the response. "Well I'm glad you took it back," replied the other party, as they shook.—[Texas Siftings.

FARM AND GARDEN.

The Massachusetts Plowman advocates level cultivation for most hoed crops, potatoes particularly. As the potato grows best in cool moist weather, any method of culture which encourages coolness and moisture is beneficial, while on the contrary any method of culture which encourages dryness and heat is injurious. If this reasoning be correct then it must be admitted that hilling is wrong, for it seems impossible that any one can fail to see that land which is hilled offers more surface to the sun and air, and that while the hills where the potatoes are expected to grow will easily dry through, the hollows between, having had all the pulverized earth scraped off, bake so hard that the moisture from below is rapidly conducted up to the air; thus in two ways is the ground loosing its coolness and moisture by hilling. While this is all true we believe its helps potatoes to haul the soil around the vines when they are from four to six inches high. Our practice is therefore to hill them, but to make the hills as broad and flat as the ground will admit.

A Paris correspondent of the American Farmer says the cultivation of parsnips is taking extensive proportions in France as a forage plant. Its natural home appears to be Brittainy where it continues till the close of December. M. De Bian has made the cultivat o i of this root a specialty, and is in a fair way to substitute it extensively for oats for horse feeding. It goes capitally with maize, and hogs accept it as a dainty dish.

AN ACROSTIC.

When an æsthetic young lady of town,

Made her way to the shops of renown,
Into Farrow's jewelry store,
Looking his Christmas goods o'er,
There his "too too" low prices she found.
Oh! then she cried, as she dimpled her chin,
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First of all, here are clocks for $1 or more,
And good timekeepers, too, "Are you sure? Are you sure?"
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Oh! oh! oh! What forks and spoons, and knives for butter;
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Those are just lovely, "too beautifully too;"
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Can you think of such prices for gold bands and rings?
It seems that as presents, all are fond of such things,
And these chains and necklets—do tell me the price?
Now that will suit Nannie, with locket so nice.

Just look at these charms, these pendants, these pins,
Enough, Mr. Farrow, my head nearly spins,
With the goods, and the prices, your own kind attention,
Each impression I now so æsthetically mention,
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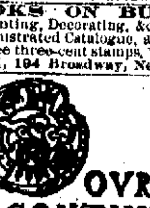

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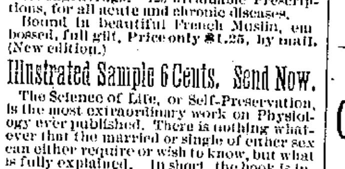

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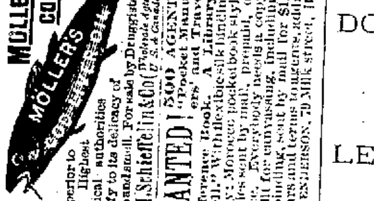

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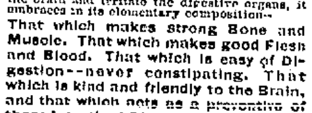

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